

IN THE ABSTRACT

On page 103, please delete the paragraph beginning on line 2 with "A method" and ending on line 28 with "disclosed.", and insert the following paragraph in its place:

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A catheter system includes a guide catheter having a distal guide orifice, a proximal guide orifice, and a guide lumen extending therebetween. The guide catheter further includes a tube segment having a distal tube orifice, a proximal tube orifice and a tube lumen extending therebetween. Also, the guide catheter includes a tissue ingrowth member secured to an outer surface of said guide catheter and configured to facilitate fibrous tissue growth therein, whereby subcutaneous tissue of said body becomes affixed to said tissue ingrowth member when said tissue ingrowth member remains in contact with said subcutaneous tissue over a period of time. Moreover, the tube segment extends through said distal guide orifice. In addition, the proximal tube orifice is positioned within said guide lumen. And the distal tube orifice is positioned outside of said guide lumen.
